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First Named
Inventor : Steven Bathiche et al.

Appln. No.: 09/251,519

Filed : February 17, 1999

For : TWO-HANDED COMPUTER INPUT
DEVICE WITH ORIENTED SENSOR

Docket No.: M61.12-0101

Group Art Unit: 2675

Examiner: S. Kumar

**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER
TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS PAPER IS
BEING SENT BY U.S. MAIL, FIRST CLASS, TO
THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR
PATENTS, WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231, THIS

15th DAY OF March, 2002
Joseph K. Kelly
PATENT ATTORNEY

Sir:

Applicant appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Primary Examiner mailed September 17, 2001, finally rejecting claims 1-20, 22 and 23.

FEE STATUS

[] Small entity status under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.9 and 1.27 is established by a verified statement previously filed on ---.

FEE FOR FILING NOTICE OF APPEAL

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(b) the fee for filing the Notice of Appeal is:

[X] other than a small entity	\$320.00
[] small entity	\$160.00

EXTENSION OF TIME

These proceedings are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 apply.

(a) [X] Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)-(d) for the total number of months checked below:

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01 FC:119	320.00 OP
02 FC:117	810.00 OP

<u>Extension (months)</u>	<u>Fee for other than small entity</u>	<u>Fee for small entity</u>
[] one month	\$ 110.00	\$ 55.00
[] two months	\$ 400.00	\$200.00
[X] three months	\$ 920.00	\$460.00
[] four months	\$1,440.00	\$720.00

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

(check and complete the next item, if applicable)

[X] An extension for one month has already been secured and the fee paid therefor of \$110 is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.

Extension fee due with this request \$810

or

(b) [] Applicant believes that no extension of time is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that Applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

TOTAL FEE DUE

The total fee due is:

Notice of Appeal fee \$320

Extension fee (if any) \$810

Total Fee Due \$1130.00

FEE PAYMENT

[X] A check in the amount of \$1130.00 is attached.

[] Charge Deposit Account No. 23-1123, the sum of \$_.


The Director is authorized to charge any additional fees associated with this paper or credit any overpayment to

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Respectfully submitted,

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